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# Kent County Sheriff Department

Public Information Officer: 632-6236  
Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

701 Ball Ave. NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503  
Dispatch - 632-6100 / 1-800-442-4661

Information Services: 632-6200  
Detective Bureau: 632-6125

## News Release

Incident # 14-149938 Date: 11/12/2014 Time of Incident: 1125 Township: 07 - Cannon  
Type of Incident: Fatal Car Accident Location: Honey Creek Ave NE north of 4 Mile Road NE  
Reporting Officer: Whiting/Hawley Assisting Departments: Kent County SD, Cannon Twp Fire Dept  
Release Completed By: Whiting Rockford Ambulance

Fire ☐ Ambulance ☐ Helicopter ☐ Other Police Agencies ☐ Utilities etc. ☐

### ALCOHOL Contributing Factor?

Y ☐ N ☐ UNK ☒

### Vehicles

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Veh: 1 Make: Ford Model: Fusion Yr: 2009  
Driver: Martha Lynn Moorhead Age: 44  
City: Sheridan Twp: \_\_\_\_\_ State: MI  
Injuries: Fatal Seatbelt: Y ☒ N ☐ UNK ☐  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Direction of Travel: N/B  
Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_ Transport By: \_\_\_\_\_

Veh: 2 Make: Jeep Model: Cherokee Yr: 2014  
Driver: Douglas Joel Siekman Age: 64  
City: Cascade Twp: \_\_\_\_\_ State: MI  
Injuries: minor Seatbelt: Y ☐ N ☐ UNK ☐  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Direction of Travel: S/B  
Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_ Transport By: \_\_\_\_\_

Relatives Notified NO Names Can Be Released NO

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### Passengers

Name: None Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ Twp: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
Injuries: \_\_\_\_\_ Seatbelt: ☐  
Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_ Transport By: \_\_\_\_\_

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ Twp: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_ Transport By: \_\_\_\_\_

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ Twp: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
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For Additional Vehicles and/or Passengers, Use another News Release Face Sheet

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### DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT:

#### UPDATED NEWS RELEASE:

The 44 year old female from Sheridan was identified as Martha Lynn Moorhead.

The 64 year old man from Cascade Township was identified as  
Douglas Joel Siekman.

On 11/12/2014 the Kent County Sheriff Department investigated a fatal car crash that  
occurred on Honey Creek Ave north of 4 Mile Road NE, Cannon Township.

A passenger vehicle, being operated by a 44 year old female from Sheridan, was  
traveling north bound on Honey Creek Ave when it crossed the center line and  
collided with a south bound vehicle head on. The driver of the north bound vehicle  
was pronounced dead at the scene.

The driver of the south bound vehicle, being operated by 64 year old Cascade  
Township man, was treated and released at the scene for minor injuries.

Alcohol does not believed to be a factor and seat belts were used by both drivers.

The accident is currently under investigation.

Supervisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Should you need further information, you may contact the appropriate Division:**

North Station: 632-6020  
790 - 17 Mile Rd. NW, Kent City, MI 49330

South Station: 632-6490  
8555 Kalamazoo Ave SE, Caledonia, MI 49316